

Name: _____ Spelling words: 1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____

4. _____ 5. _____



Third Grade Homework Calendar

Week of December 5th

Each week, your child will get a new homework calendar. There will be different homework choices in math or word work for each day. Please select one with your child to complete. **Reading Reflections should be completed every day.** Homework and Daily Reading Reflections should be completed in each student's homework notebook unless a separate sheet is attached. Reading Reflections are expected to be one complete paragraph with at least 4-5 sentences. Homework notebooks and Reading Logs in the Daily Folder should be turned in each day. Color in or draw an X in the box of the Math or Writing homework choice you made.

Required Daily Reading Reflection

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
Reading Reflection: Read a fiction book for at least 20 minutes. Choose three important details from the section you are reading and write them down. From the three details write in 10 words or less what the main idea of the story is.	Reading Reflection: After reading a nonfiction book or article for at least 20 minutes. Make a three circle Venn diagram to compare and contrast biographies, articles, and instructions. Then decide which of the three your nonfiction text is.	Reading Reflection: Read a poem or fictional story for at least 20 minutes. Find three examples of similes, metaphors, and/or idioms in what you are reading. Write down the examples and tell what the author means by their use in his or her writing.	Reading Reflection: Choose any genre of literature (poetry, nonfiction, fiction) and read for at least 20 minutes. Write down why you chose to read that genre and what strategies you used to help you read that genre of literature.

Required Math/Writing-Choose 1 Each Day

Monday – Word Work	Tuesday-Math	Wednesday-Word Work	Thursday-Math														
<p>Directions: Please choose one of the following activities listed below to practice building or spelling your words for the week.</p> <p>1. Build the words with shaving cream, magnetic letters or in the sand/dirt. Then write your words correctly one time in your notebook.</p> <p>2. Cut the letters out of a magazine or newspaper and glue them into your homework notebook. Make sure you build them correctly.</p> <p>3. Write your spelling words like a pyramid.</p> <div><div>c</div><div>ca</div><div>cat</div></div> <p>4. Write your words in pencil and trace over the vowels with a red pencil, pen, or crayon.</p> <p>5. Write your words in pencil. Then circle the consonants with a pen, colored pencil or crayon.</p> <p>6. Write your spelling word normal and then write it backwards.</p> <p>7. Write your words in rainbow colors.</p>	<p>Choice 1</p> <p>Find one 2D shape (rhombus, square, hexagon, etc.) and 1 3D shape (cube, cylinder, triangular prism, etc.). Compare and contrast the two shapes in a Venn diagram.</p> <p>Choice 2</p> <p>Find 3 2D shapes and 3 3D shapes. Cut them out and glue them in your homework notebook. Then complete the following tables about each shape you found.</p> <table><tr><td>2d shape</td><td># sides</td><td># vertices</td></tr><tr><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr></table> <table><tr><td>3d shape</td><td># edges</td><td># vertices</td><td># faces</td></tr><tr><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr></table> <p>Choice 3</p> <p>Solve the following shape riddle and then write your own shape riddle.</p> <p><i>I have 5 faces. My number of vertices is equal to 2×3. My number of edges is equal to the number of sides in a triangle multiplied by three. What 3D shape am I?</i></p>	2d shape	# sides	# vertices				3d shape	# edges	# vertices	# faces					<p>My 10 patterned spelling words for the week are:</p> <p>1. _____</p> <p>2. _____</p> <p>3. _____</p> <p>4. _____</p> <p>5. _____</p> <p>6. _____</p> <p>7. _____</p> <p>8. _____</p> <p>9. _____</p> <p>10. _____</p> <p>Complete the worksheet on the back.</p>	<p>Choice 1</p> <p>Mrs. Eleccko has 5 parallelograms. How many sides does she have in all? Draw a picture and write a multiplication number sentence to explain how you got your answer.</p> <p>Choice 2</p> <p>Mrs. Kurtz has 3 cubes, 2 cylinders, and 1 pyramid. How many faces does she have in all? Make sure to show your work and explain how you got your answer in words.</p> <p>Choice 3</p> <p>Ms. Ross was building a castle that looked like the picture below. How many faces were not covered up? How many faces were covered up? Explain how you got your answers.</p> <div></div>
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Word Study Homework for Pattern Words

1. Sort your words according to the headings in the table below. Write the words from your spelling list and then add 5 new words to each column and then explain what you notice about your spelling pattern.

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<p>My word study words:</p> 5 new words: 1. 2. 3. 4. 5.	<p>My word study words:</p> 5 new words: 1. 2. 3. 4. 5.
<p>What do you notice about this spelling pattern? Where is it generally found within the word?</p>	<p>What do you notice about this spelling pattern? Where is it generally found within the word?</p>

2. Follow the directions to complete the table below.

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<p>Write down one of your spelling words for this pattern.</p> <p>_____</p> <p>Write one word that looks similar to your word but does not sound like it. Box in the part that looks the same.</p> <p>_____</p> <p>Ex. Would looks like foul because of the “oul” but that chunk makes different sounds in each word.</p>	<p>Write down one of your spelling words for this pattern.</p> <p>_____</p> <p>Write one word that sounds similar to your word but does not look like it. Box in the part that sounds the same.</p> <p>_____</p> <p>Ex. Would sounds like good because of the “ood” sound but that chunk looks different in each word.</p>

